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### Two months after Dasara Sports Meet-2019 concluded...

# No Prize Money Yet !

**Players made to jump through hoops by the Sports Department. What could be the reason?**

- Cash prize amounts to Rs.30 lakh.
- Winners of team events to get Rs. 3,000, Rs. 2,000, Rs. 1,000 each.
- Individual event winners to get Rs. 10,000, Rs. 8,000, Rs. 5,000.
- Six winners of marathon (men and women) to get Rs. 30,000, Rs. 25,000, Rs. 20,000, Rs. 15,000, Rs. 10,000 and Rs. 5,000.
- When *SOM* tried to contact the Officer for his reaction over phone, he was not available.

**By M.T. Yogesh Kumar**

Mysuru, Dec.11- A good two months after Dasara festival is over, the winners of Dasara Sports Meet-2019 are a miffed lot as they are yet to get their prize money. This apathy and indifference of the authorities may send a wrong signal and the athletes may shy away from taking part in next Dasara events.

Dasara Sports is considered as one of the important sporting events at the State and National level. This year's Dasara Sports conducted by the Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports was inaugurated by none other than the International Badminton Champion P.V. Sindhu on Oct.1 at Chamundi Vihar Stadium in the presence of Chief Minister B.S. Yediyurappa. The District Administration had extended all support to the Department in conducting this Meet.

The week-long sports meet (Oct.1 to 6) featured 28 indoor and outdoor games for men and women like Marathon, Cycling, Athletics, Basketball, Hockey, Football, Kabaddi, Kho-Kho and other team events. More than 12,000 players from across the country had taken part. But now scores of winners of various events are a disappointed lot as the prize money announced by the organisers has not reached them yet.

Prior to the start of 'Nada Habba', District Minister V. Somanna had announced that all Dasara events will be held without any shortcomings. The Minister had also announced that the winners will be given cash prizes within a specified time. But even after two months, the prize money is not disbursed though their bank account details were taken at the time of registration.

(See PRIZE MONEY on page 8)

## Colourful start to Children's Science Fest

Mysuru, Dec. 11 (RK&SD)- The three-day District-level Children's Science Festival began this morning at Government Higher Primary School in Kumbarakoppal. More than 1,500 students from different parts of the district took out a colourful procession.

The event, organised by Department of Education, was jointly inaugurated by Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath and former MLC D. Madegowda by beating Nagari (drums) in the presence of DDPI Pandurangа, Corporator Ushakumari, BEO M.R. Shivakumar and 150 Government School teachers.

(See FEST on page 8)

**STAR PUNCH** By Satish Acharya

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Mysuru, Wednesday 11th December 2019

# Bribe-free Bharat

**Policy statements such as open defecation-free Bharat have tended to sound like slogans that not only the top brass in administration but also leaders of all hues addressing their captive audiences as well as target sections in the land's population through all available forms of media take fascination to include the expression, ostensibly to make an impression, not withstanding the fact that invariably all such policy statements are soon forgotten to be followed by more slogans. Doubling the income of the nation's rural families, shelter in the form of dwellings for the last citizen within a stipulated time, safe drinking water in all the regions of the country, ridding the country of malnutrition, freeing the entire population from disease burden through *affordable* health services and so on, not to forget achieving the five-trillion dollar economy for the nation are the policy statements that readers of dailies come across as multi-column headlines, on front pages to begin with and later moved to inside pages before they degenerate into a *cliché*. As fas as policy statements relating to the land's laws aimed at reining in lawless atmosphere across the country, less said the better. Utter failure to arrest corruption in *all* spheres of human activity takes the cake.**

**Lure of lucre driving the fraternity of bureaucracy across its entire hierarchy to grab money regarded as sordid or distasteful or gained in a dishonourable manner seems to have seamlessly swept the people at large virtually like the proverbial tsunami.**

**Debating on corruption, particularly the public image of the elected representatives of people commanding big amounts of tainted wealth and the staff in the various departments of the Governments, barring exceptions, either in sessions of concerned citizens or in their drawing rooms is like flogging the dead horse. The lubricant as it were that is keeping the administration machinery well-oiled, bribe, preferably written with capital 'B' has flooded the land's diaspora, mocking the power of devastation associated with the floods that bugged many regions of the country. Thus, it is time to create a new slogan *Bribe-mukth-Bharat*. The Bard wrote about mercy *blessing* both the giver and the receiver. Taking cue from the famous line, one may be permitted to say that bribe benefits both the giver and the receiver, who gets more of the benefit depends on the bribe amount.**

**Bribe-giving and bribe-taking are justified by the street-smart givers, arguing that the babudom render their services in the offices to *aam aadmi* not only promptly but also circumventing the rules. Given this mutually beneficial practice, why wish for Bribe-free-Bharat, a pipe dream.**

## EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

***People whose seats are behind supporting pillars in the Lok Sabha got an opportunity on Thursday to speak during the Question Hour and Zero Hour. Raj Bahadur Singh, a Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) member from Sagar, Madhya Pradesh, said he was khamba peedit or "pillar victim" because one such structure blocked his view of the rest of the House, and, more importantly, the cameras that covered the proceedings. The BJP's B.P. Saroj, an MP from Uttar Pradesh, also spoke standing behind a pillar. Some MPs said the problem would be solved once the new Parliament building came up. During the last session, Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs Arjun Ram Meghwal had softened the feelings of such members by telling them how those who sat behind pillars achieved great success, giving the examples of Parliamentary Affairs Minister Pralhad Joshi and Speaker Om Birla, both of whom sat behind a pillar.***— *In Business Standard*

## NEWS SPARKLERS

### Pig monkey hybrids created in China genetics lab

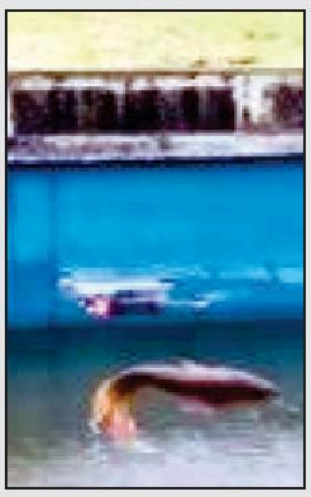
Beijing: Chinese scientists have created pig monkey hybrids – paving the way to a future in which human organs could be custom-grown in animals for transplant.

"This is the first report of full-term monkey-pig chimeras", Tang Hai at the State Key Laboratory of Stem Cell and Reproductive Biology in Beijing told New Scientist.

The animals had only a small amount of monkey DNA – concentrated in the heart, liver, spleen, lungs and skin cells. The team is now trying to create healthy animals with a higher proportion of monkey cells, says Hai.

The Chinese team's pig-monkeys didn't live for very long after birth, but that is thought to be a problem with the IVF technique rather than the insertion of monkey DNA. A number of pigs with entirely normal genes created with the same technique also failed to survive.

### Fish leaps out of water to take down drone



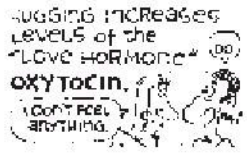
Tokyo: A fish has been filmed bizarrely leaping out of a lake in a bid to hit a drone. The Arowana fish was captured leaping a metres into the air in a bid to take the drone down.

After the drone is precariously flown closer to the water's surface, the fish attempts to take down the craft. During its second bid to capture the drone, the fish's body comes within inches of hitting the crafts propellers and the man in the background of the clip can be heard yelling at the fish when it comes close to hitting the drone.

Arowanas, often called Dragon fish, are a bony freshwater fish, that can reach weights of 2.5kg. They're known to be able to jump aggressively high.

## HEALTH CAPSULE by Bron Smith

# Is hugging healthy?




A new study published in PLOS one has revealed that the act of hugging shields the person who has been hugged from the harmful effects of conflicts with others, and promotes a positive mood. The study also showed that huggers have better overall health.

** Health Capsules is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature.*

# Ph.D award in Agribusiness

*Chaitra*

Mysuru, Dec.11- The University of Mysore (UoM) has awarded Ph.D in Agribusiness to **Chaitra Bharath** for her thesis on the topic "A Study on the Effect of Personality Traits on the Buying Behaviour of Organic Food Consumers" under the guidance of Dr. H.M. Chandrashekar.

She is an Agri graduate from University of Agricultural Sciences, GKVK, Bangalore and holds a PGDABM from National Institute of Agricultural Extension Management, Hyderabad.

She currently is the Lead Programme Coordinator (India) for Agribusiness Academy (UK), the leading online learning provider in Agribusiness space. She also has been teaching MBA in Agribusiness Management at the Institute of Development Studies, University of Mysore, for the past 5 years.

She is the daughter of Agriculture Scientist Dr. Vasanth Kumar Thimakapura and Vaasanthi V. Kumar, Managing Director of Green Lifescience Technologies.

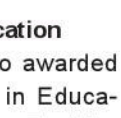
**Ph.D in Education**

The UoM has also awarded Ph.D in Education to **Ta. Ma. Madhusudhan** for his thesis 'Attitude Towards Cyber Resources, Interest in Cyber Resources and Utilisation of Cyber Resources among Post Graduate Students of Education' [Guide: Dr. K.B. Praveena].

**Sisaket Rattana** has been awarded Ph.D in Education by the UoM for his thesis 'Attitude Towards Teaching, Teaching Competency and Organisational Commitment among Secondary School Teachers' [Guide: Dr. K.B. Praveena]

**K. Shivakumara** has been awarded Ph.D in Education by the UoM for his thesis 'Happiness of Secondary School Teachers in Relation to their Self Esteem, Job Satisfaction and Organisational Commitment' [Guide: Dr. K.B. Praveena]

## Really...?



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## LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

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## Today's Currency Rate

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VOICE OF THE READER

# Prompt action by civic authorities

Sir,

During my regular morning walk, I noticed the carcass of a cat lying in Chinmayi Park, Manujapatha Road, Kuvempunagar, on Dec.7. I telephonically requested the Mysuru City Corporation to get the cat's body removed as foul smell was emanating from it and dogs were feeding on the same. I got a prompt message on my phone thanking me for lodging the complaint and an acknowledgement number, call centre number and giving a link for tracking the status of the complaint. It was also mentioned that the problem will be resolved within a day.

But, to my pleasant surprise, I got a telephone call from the Corporation staff within one-and-a-quarter-hour from the time of complaint. Two staff had already arrived near to the area and asked for the exact location.

I also reached the spot and showed them the spot in the park. Promptly they removed the carcass. In one-and-half-hours time the problem was resolved and I received a message on my phone to that effect and with the following message:

**"Keep your City/Town clean. Thank you JANAHITHA. Our City/Town our responsibility."**

Full marks and kudos to the civic authorities who have put in place such a system and getting it implemented so efficiently and promptly through their dedicated field staff. I would like to mention here the names of the two staff who attended to the work: Sreenivas and Raju. They deserve all appreciation.

I request all the fellow citizens to join hands with our well meaning civic authorities to keep our city clean and quickly move up in its ranking of clean city. If Indore in Madhya Pradesh can move to the top position from a lower ranking within a short time and retain that position for three consecutive years, it is definitely possible for us also to regain our numero uno spot.

**— S.G. Siddesh**
**Chief General Manager**
**(Retd.), NABARD**
Mysuru 8.12.2019

## Colouring Contest

Mysuru, Dec.11- Alpha International School, Srirampura, has organised a free drawing and colouring contest on Dec.14 at 9.30 am at its premises. For details contact Mob: 6366452378 or Ph:0821-2951447.

# Royal Concorde International School bags ISA Award

*Royal Concorde International School at Bogadi 2nd Stage in city has bagged the ISA Award given by the British Council. School Principal Dr. P. Arokia Raj is seen receiving the British Council International School Award (ISA) from Chennai British Council Director Janaka at a function held at Chennai recently. The school had undertaken a series of projects on various fields of study and global cultural exchange and other tasks related to curriculum and co-curricular activities following which the award was presented to the school.*


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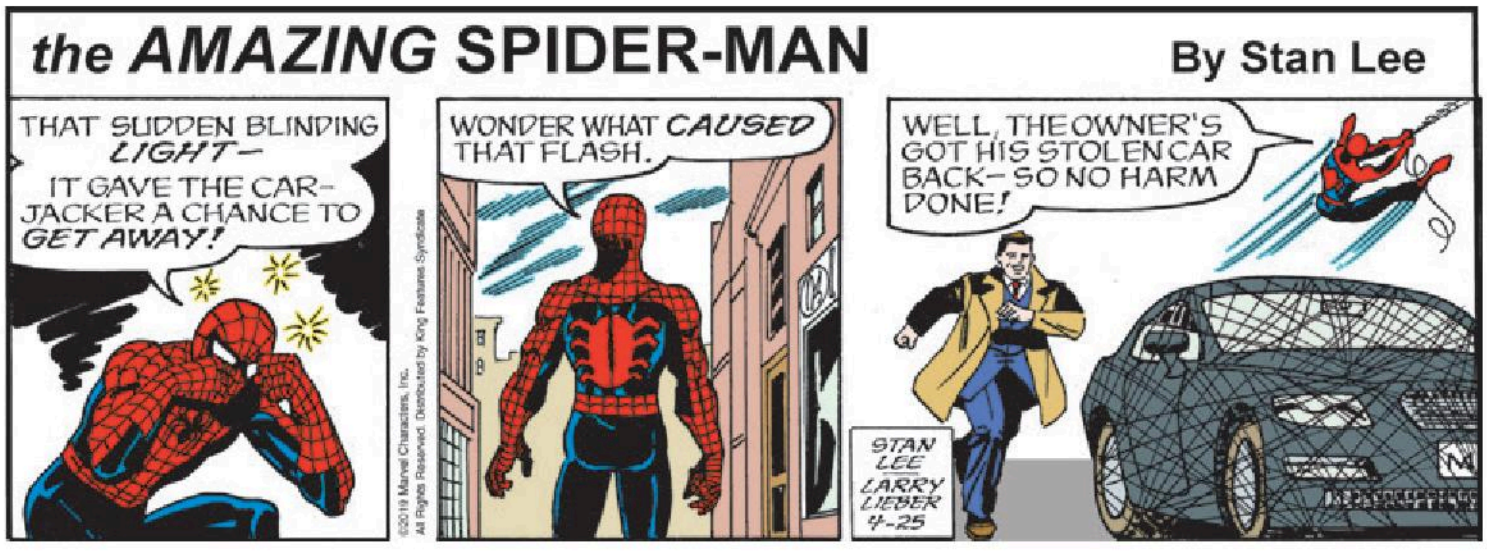
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## NEWS BRIEFS

### Jain Milan Dialysis Centre

In a bid to provide dialysis service at minimum cost, Jain Milan Dialysis Centre by Jain Milan Charitable Trust will be inaugurated at Bamboo Bazaar in city tomorrow. The centre will be inaugurated by Sri Charukeerthi Bhattaraka Swamiji of Shravanabelagola, Sri Bhuvanakeerthi Bhattaraka Swamiji of Kanakagiri and National President of Bharatiya Jain Milan Dharmasthala Surendra Kumar Heggade.

### English learning

Jnanabutti has organised a 40-day free English learning camp for students and others. Those interested to attend should register their names before Dec.16 at Jnanabutti office at the premises of Government PU College, Lakshmipuram, between 5.30 pm and 7.30 pm. [Mob: 94481-17455]

### Free eye camp

Lions Club of Mysore Heritage City and Mysore Race Club Eye Hospital, Siddarthanagar, have jointly organised a free eye screening camp at Samudaya Bhavana in Medar Block, 18 Cross, Yadavagiri, on Dec.16 from 9 am to 1 pm. MLA L. Nagendra will inaugurate. Corporator Guru Vinayaka will be present.

### Scholarship

Karnataka Sangeeta Nritya Academy has invited applications from candidates in the age group of 16 to 24 years for award of scholarship in the fields of Karnatak and Hindustani Music, Dance, Sugama Sangeetha and Gamaka. The selected candidates will receive a scholarship of Rs.10,000. Application can be obtained from the Academy office or the office of the Assistant Director, Department of Kannada and Culture or can be downloaded from www.karnatakasangeetanrityaacademy.com; To receive prospectus, send a self-addressed envelop with Rs.10 stamp affixed on that to the Registrar, Karnataka Sangeetha Nritya Academy, Kannada Bhavan, J.C. Road, Bengaluru - 560002 before Dec.20.

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# 'Quick legal enforcement needed to tackle issue of sexual assaults on women'

Mysuru, Dec.11 (PM&SD)- "We need to think of long-term and short-term legal measures to tackle the issue of sexual assaults on women," opined thinker and writer Prof. C. Sarvamangala. She was speaking at a programme held at Banyan tree premises, Scouts and Guides Grounds in city, organised by 'Sthree Shoshane Mukta Samaja Nirmana Vedike,' which envisages to build a fair, free and open society and to safeguard the interests of women.

*Prof. C. Sarvamangala addressing the gathering at a programme held at Banyan tree premises, Scouts and Guides Grounds in city on Dec.8*

"In recent times, we are hearing about several cases of sexual assault and violence against women, but our society and Government seems have remained indifferent to this issue. In most of these cases, the accused, using their political influence and high handedness, are coming out on bail. We need to create awareness through street plays and other such activities and campaigns about safety of women and children," she said.

Writer and thinker Prof. K. Sumitrabai, Women's Wing President of KPCC Dr. Pushpa Amarnath, retired Professors H.M. Vasantamma and Kalachannegowda and a number of other participants voiced their opinions and concerns related to the issue and stressed the urgent need to address the root cause of these incidences and take stringent measures against those responsible for such inhuman acts.

UoM Research Students Association President Maridevaiah, M.P. Harsha of CEDIT-I and others were present.

# Good dress code can reduce harassment of women: Mayor

Mysuru, Dec.11 (MTY&US)- AYUSH Department had organised a workshop on 'Managing problems of the youth' for NSS students at Maharani's Arts College here on Dec.7.

Inaugurating the programme, Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath opined that girls should follow a good dress code to ward off prying eyes.

She contended that wearing western outfits is acceptable if they are within the limits of decency. She said that woman should be cautions about their dress with an increase in incidents of rape in India.

*Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath lighting the lamp to inaugurate the workshop organised by AYUSH Department at Maharani's Arts College in city on Dec.7.*

Continuing, she said that AYUSH components Ayurveda and Yoga were very good for women which will strengthen the body and mind.

She observed that today's youth spend too much of a time on mobile phones which could increase the stress levels and suggested meditation as a remedy to counter stress.

The workshop featured lecturers on various topics pertaining to health and hygiene of young women by experts in the field.

College Principal B.T. Vijay, ZP Vice-President Gowramma Somashekar, District AYUSH Officer Dr. B.S. Seethalakshmi, Corporator M. Shivakumar and others were present.

**'Nada Geetha'**

Three students were invited to render 'Nada Geetha.' Instead of rendering the anthem in chorus, each sang a stanza one by one embarrassing the gathering.

# State-level Seminar on 'Basavanna' held

Mysuru, Dec.11 (SPN&SD)- "Kuvempu Institute of Kannada Studies (KIKS) is playing an important role in preserving the identity of Kannada language," opined University of Mysore (UoM) Registrar Prof. R. Shivappa.

He was speaking at a seminar on 12th-century poet and philosopher Basavanna, organised by KIKS in association with Sri Basaveshwara Centre for Social Change, Research and Extension of UoM at B.M. Sri auditorium in KIKS premises on Dec.9.

*Littérateur Prof. Morabada Mallikarjuna delivering a talk during the Seminar at B.M. Sri auditorium in KIKS premises on Dec.9.*

Lauding the efforts of KIKS, he said that the academicians from the institute have brought out a number of works to safeguard the interest of Kannada language, which can be compared to best of those from other world languages.

Later, littérateur Prof. Morabada Mallikarjuna said about the critical analysis of Basavanna's personality and equality in 'Jagajyoti Basaveshwara' authored by Karpura Krishnamurthy, 'Basava Prakasha' by Shantadevi Malawada, 'Kalyaneshwara' by B. Puttaswamaiah, 'Ulaviyalli Omkara' by Dr. H. Thipperudraswamy and Prof. G.H. Hanneradumutt and 'Jagadananta' by Prof. Chandrashekaraiah.

Dr. K.P. Lalita, Prof. N.M. Talawar and Prof. Chandrashekaraiah were present.

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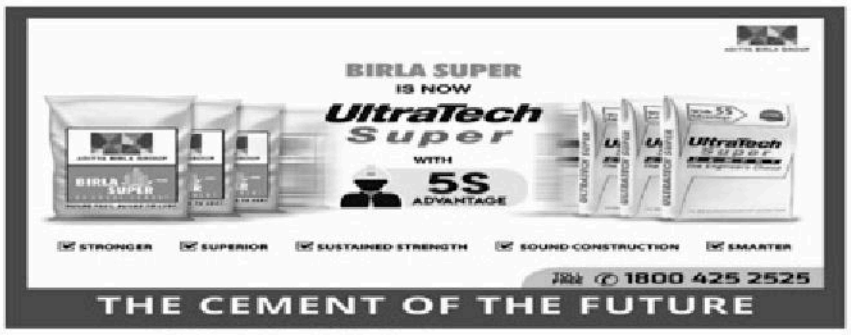


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**In this week's Pet Talk, Maneka tells why it is important not to bathe a puppy before weaning and causes for night barking**

# Pet Talk

Maneka Gandhi

***Sometimes my dog barks at nothing in dead of night and silence. Why does this happen?***

The possible reasons can be:

**1. Boredom -** Just like any human left alone for too long, your dog gets bored too. If dogs are bored, they are likely to vocalise more often. If dogs are left alone for long periods of time, they can become very bored, especially if there is nothing for them to do.

**2. Fear or alarm -** There's a reason we get scared of things that go bump in the night — as humans, we fear the unknown, and dogs also feel the same night-time anxiety. If dogs are fearful, they may bark at any noise they hear that is scary to them or startles them. They may also bark as an 'alarm' to tell those around that something is going on that they should be aware of.

**3. Loneliness -** There is not always a universal cause for night barking. Loneliness remains one of the top triggers in dogs that can't seem to settle down. Dogs are pack animals, so if left alone in another room at night, they may bark to try and get attention. Allowing your dog to sleep in your room should help to eliminate barking due to separation anxiety. If sleeping in your bedroom isn't an option, maybe you need another dog for a source of companionship.

**4. Looking for attention -** Attention-seeking is different from loneliness in dogs. Many dogs bark for attention, whether they want petting, the food you are eating or something else. It is important that you completely ignore your dog if you feel he is barking for attention, otherwise the barking will continue. If you tell your dog 'quiet,' 'shush', or any other vocalisation to tell them to stop, that is considered attention to your dog.

**5. Noise sensitivity -** Unlike their human companions, dogs aren't able to shut out noise, and distraction, as easily before bed. Dogs have such acute hearing. Although your home, or apartment, might be very quiet to you, a dog can be extremely sensitive to outside noises and will bark in response. Putting on a TV, radio, or white noise machine, might help block out some of that external noise and hopefully eliminate this cause of bedtime barking.

**6. Not enough exercise -** If your dog spends all day at home alone while you're at work, and has just a few hours of freedom before bed, it only makes sense that he'll be restless at night. They have pent up energy, are excited to see you and just want some attention. Exercise is the best solution for this cause of barking. A long walk or run will help tire both of you out before bedtime.

**Can a dog and cat live peacefully together?**

Only if they grow up together. It is not advisable to introduce a cat into a full grown dog's house.

***My cat is having problems in hearing. What should I do?***

It can be due to several reasons: • Ear infection (otitis externa, which can travel to the inner ear); • Ear mites; • Polyps Cancerous growths in the ear canal; • Hypothyroidism. Excessive ear wax in the cat's ears; • Genetic cats born with two blue eyes and white fur are much more likely to be deaf; • Atresia, a defect in the ear canal's development; • Exposure to household chemicals; • Taking diuretic medications or some antibiotics; • Age. The cat's eardrum thickens as a cat gets older; • Fused bones in the inner ear; • Nerve damage.

**Treatment -** The treatment method used will depend on the cause of the cat's hearing loss. If the cat has an ear infection, antibiotic treatment may help the cat to recover its hearing. If the cat has an over-accumulation of wax in its ears, this can be carefully and gently removed from the cat's ears, although the cat may need to be sedated for this procedure. If a tumour or growth is obstructing the cat's ear, removing this tumour surgically may help the cat regain some of its lost hearing. Genetic and age-related hearing loss cannot be reversed. Instead, the cat will need to learn to cope with its hearing loss.

***People advise to not give puppies a bath until three months. Why?***

It is very important not to bathe a puppy before weaning. If you do so, you could cause the mother to reject her puppy, as she may not identify the scent as familiar. Once you give a puppy a bath, you, as the owner, will have to take over caring for the puppy. This care means making sure your puppy is given appropriate feed, medication, exercise and training.

On the other hand, it is also necessary to take into account the vaccination schedule of the dog before giving a puppy a bath. Occasionally, a dog will suffer from stress during his first bath, which can lead to a poor immunological response to vaccines.

For this reason, veterinarians recommend waiting 1 to 2 weeks after each vaccine before giving a puppy a bath.

Once you are clear as to when to give a puppy a bath, you can proceed to accumulate the appropriate tools for this puppy's first bath: • Warm ambient temperature; • Positive and relaxed atmosphere; • Puppy specific shampoo; • Sponge; • Dog comb for rubbing (soft); • A bucket of warm water; • Towels and hair dryer.

It is recommended making sure all of the above are prepared before giving a puppy a bath. You must provide them with a warm environment, to avoid causing thermal shock to the dog.

***What is the proper process of cremating and burying animals?***

**Home Burial -** Many people choose to bury a pet at home as a way of keeping it close.

**Cremation -** Pets can be cremated either in usual crematories or the ones that are specifically dedicated for pet cremations. During the process, a pet's body is placed in a cremation unit and subjected to high temperatures up to 1400-1800 degrees Fahrenheit. The ashes are then poured in a sealed plastic bag, cardboard box, or tin and finally, returned to the owner. Having received the ashes you may choose to scatter, store, or bury them.

**Cemetery Burial -** There are very few in India. But you can find out if your district has one, and use it.

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Readers with queries about their pets health, care and behavioural issues may send their questions to *SOM* : *voice@starofmysore.com*

# Mysuru Zoo to host Quiz Contest for High School students

Mysuru, Dec.11- On account of Karanji Lake Festival, Sri Chamarajendra Zoological Gardens (Mysuru Zoo) is organising a Quiz Competition for High School students on **Dec.16 at 11 am at Karanji Lake premises.**

Only four students can participate in the Quiz Competition from each High School.

**Last date to enrol names through their respective institution is Dec.15.**

For details, contact Mob: 96866-68099 and participant list can be sent to the Zoo e-mail: *zoomysore@gmail.com* from the respective institutes.

# 12th Graduates' Day at JSS College

## Sustainable development goals should be the aim of life: Central Agri Varsity Chancellor Dr. S. Ayyappan

Mysuru, Dec.11- JSS College of Arts, Commerce and Science, Ooty Road, Mysuru, celebrated the 12th Graduates' Day in the Golden Jubilee Hall of the College recently in the presence of Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji.

Speaking on the occasion, Dr. S. Ayyappan, Chancellor, Central Agricultural University, Imphal, Manipur, who was the chief guest, guided the fresh graduates on the innovative modes for future generation.

He opined that the fresh graduates should involve themselves in new Nano-technology use of energy in all fields of life including agriculture. He felt that Peri - Urban agriculture should be used to retain original character of the agricultural produces.

JSS institutions is in the forefront in making use of these technologies with multidisciplinary education system. He explained how agricultural produce can be improved using new innovative technologies.

Students, especially passing out graduates, should use their skills to have an action plan for new things, avenues available, using start-ups and be aware of patent. At the same time he was disappointed at the research ratio of researcher per million populations is very low in India compared to other countries.

He concluded his speech with a note of aspiration hoping, that the year 2020 will be a new milestone in all respect with creativity, as the future depends on what we do in present. The research should be based on giving solutions rather than creating problem.

A total of 871 graduates including 428 Under-Graduates and 443 Post-Graduates, of which 470 are ladies attended. On the occasion, 62 toppers were honoured.

Dr. C.G. Betsurmath, Executive Secretary, JSS Mahavidyapeetha administered the oath to the graduates. Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah, Chief Executive, welcomed. Prof. M. Mahadevappa, Principal, proposed a vote of thanks. Prof. D.S. Sadashivamurthy compered. Dr. B. Prabhuswamy, Controller of Examination, was present on the dais. Jyothy N. Bhatt of M.A. in Kannada (Final) and Spandana of M.Sc in Chemistry rendered the invocation.

## Entries invited for awards

Mysuru, Dec. 11 - Athmashri Kannada Samskruthika Prathishtana has invited entries from achievers in the fields of youth service, education, medicine, literature and art for the presentation of 'Kannada Naadu-Nudi Seva Ratna' award and 'Swami Vivekananda Sadhbhavana' award as part of 'Sankranti Sambhrama' and Swami Vivekananda birth anniversary. Entries with photo should reach Athmashri Kannada Samskruthika Prathishtana, 674, 10th C-Cross, 3rd Block, 4th Phase, Basaveshwaranagar, Bengaluru-560079.

For details, call Mob: 94482-60417 or 86180-38307.

# Russian Youth Delegation touring Mysuru

Mysuru, Dec. 11 (SD) - Under the Indo-Russian Youth Exchange Programme, a 53-member Russian youth delegation arrived in city yesterday evening on a three-day visit.

The student delegates were given a traditional welcome at Youth Hostels near Maruthi Temple in T.K. Layout last evening along with a cultural treat.

During their three-day visit, they are scheduled to interact with youth club members, visit KRS Dam, Brindavan Gardens, Infosys campus and CFTRI as well as other tourist places in and around the city.

The Indian Government in association with the Russian counterpart has been organising Youth Exchange Programmes over the last several years. This programme is exclusively reserved for youth to exchange and deliberate on different aspects of culture, which include language, art, research and other aspects of student life. This exchange project aims to provide them exposure to different cultures and acknowledge the unfamiliar way of life.

For details on their visit, contact the Nehru Yuva Kendra Ph. 0821-2489858, according to a press release.

## Receives Women Entrepreneur Award

***The prestigious Outstanding Educationist and Women Entrepreneur of the Year-2019 Award was presented to Mysuru-based entrepreneur Rachana Mahesh, MD Edukare ITES, by film actor Karan Singh Grover at a ceremony held in Ramada Plaza Palmgrove in Mumbai recently.***

# Mayor to inaugurate MyBuild Exhibition this evening

*Preparations on for the MyBuild-2019 expo at Maharaja's College Grounds this morning.*

Mysuru, Dec. 11 (PM&KS)- The sprawling Maharaja's College Grounds in city is all set to host the six-day MyBuild-2019, an exhibition of construction materials, interiors and lifestyles, organised by Builders' Association of India (BAI), Mysore Centre, from today evening.The expo will be inaugurated by Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath at 5 pm.

Managing Trustee of Mysore Builders Charitable Trust (MBCT) S.R. Swamy will be the guest of honour. BAI Mysore Centre Chairman B.S. Dinesh, MyBuild-2019 Chairman S. Vasudevan, MyBuild-2019 Hon. Secretary K. Satish Mohan and others will be present.

The expo has about 150 stalls with many national and international companies displaying their innovative products. Building materials, Pavements, Generators, Plumbing Systems, Bathroom Fittings, Kitchen Cabinets, Interiors, Floor Tiles, Roofing Materials, Prefab Buildings, Construction Chemicals, Building Automations, Solar Systems, Paints & Hardware, Building Electricals, Banks, Construction Equipment, Builders & Developers, Aluminium Windows, PVC and Moulded Doors, Building Safety Measures, Elevators, Lights & Lighting Products, automobile vehicles & construction equipments will be showcased at the expo.

**Entertainment:** A lot of entertainment programmes have been arranged in the evenings and a unique platform for students to showcase their talents in singing Kannada songs has been created through a competition titled 'Voice of MyBuild.' Semi-finals of the competition will be held on Dec. 13 and the finals on Dec. 15.

**Technical Seminar:** As part of MyBuild-2019 expo, a two-day BuildTech-2019 annual technical seminar will be held with the theme 'Shelter For All' on Dec. 13 and 14 at Mysore Builders Charitable Trust (MBCT) Auditorium, No.34/D, Akkamahadevi Road, 2nd Stage, Industrial Suburb, Vishweshwaranagar, Mysuru.

# Children's Science Fest begins

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Participants were accorded a Purnakumbha welcome by locals and later, more than 1,500 students, dressed in traditional attire took out a jatha from school premises. They were accompanied by folk troupes including Puja Kunitha, Dollu Kunitha, Karaga, Kolata and Kamsale during the procession apart from bicycles, bullock carts and school music bands adding to the festive mood.

Five students from each of the 31 cluster schools in the district had been selected to participate in Science Fest.

A State-level Science Fest will be held in Srirangapatana Government Junior College from Dec. 18 to Dec. 21.

The objective of the Science Fest is to ward off superstitions, spread scientific temper among the youth and to discuss and interact with various subject experts like astronomy and related topics. A total of 10 themes have been shortlisted for the Fest. One such topic is 'Day-time Astronomy,' which envisions the fact that events in the sky which happen during day time give a special opportunity to ask questions 'Why and How.'

Prominent resource persons including K.M. Mahesh, Basavaraju, Harshavardhan, Krishna Sharma, Madhurani, Shashikala and Vajramuni are participating in the Science Fest.

# No Prize Money Yet !

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On an average, there will be 12 to 16 players in team events (both men and women) like Volleyball, Hockey, Kho-Kho, Football, Kabaddi, Handball etc. Every member of the first prize winning team had to be paid Rs.3,000 each while the team that comes second - Rs.2,000 each and third - Rs.1,000 each.

In the case of Individual events (men and women) such as 100, 200, 400, 800,1500, 5000 and 10000 mts running race, Discus Throw, Hammer Throw, Shot Put, Javelin Throw, Long Jump, High Jump etc., the topper gets a cash prize of Rs.10,000, second prize - Rs.8,000 and third - Rs.5,000.

Meanwhile, the winner in Marathon (men - 21.5 kms and women -10 kms) gets a cash prize of Rs. 30,000, second prize - Rs. 25,000, third - Rs. 20,000, fourth - Rs.15,000, fifth - Rs. 10,000 and sixth - Rs. 5,000.

This is the first time in the history of Dasara that payment of prize money has been delayed for such a long time. In the past, the Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports used to disburse cash prizes within fifteen days of the completion of Sports Meet. Also, there are several instances where the prize money has been given away the very next day after the conclusion of the Meet.

As per an estimate, the Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports has to pay cash prizes of upto Rs.30 lakh to winners of Dasara sports events this year.

**Officials too not paid**

Let alone sportspersons, even sports officials, who play a crucial role in the success of an event, too are yet to get their remuneration/honorarium. The Sports officials, who include Umpires, Referees and the like, come from different parts of the District and State to conduct/officiate the event smoothly. Even they too are not paid their remuneration, which has put the Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports to shame.

**No transparency**

Also, there are complaints that the sporting activities organised by the Department are not being held in a transparent manner, **with some of the sports officials managing to stick on to their post in Mysuru itself for years together.** With the Department's functioning in question, it is high time that the District Minister intervenes and takes drastic measures for overhauling the otherwise lax Department.

**Prize winners react**

Disappointed over the functioning of the Sports Department, some senior sportspersons told *Star of Mysore* that they would meet the District Minister shortly and submit a memorandum seeking better management of the Department.

Even as Dasara sports meet winners are clueless on when they will get their prize money, **K.J. Sandhya from Ernakulam in Kerala,** who won the fifth prize in Marathon for women, said that she was supposed to get a prize money of Rs.10,000.

The Officials then had told her that she will receive the prize in a week but even after two months, she is yet to get her cash prize. She and other winners have been regularly calling the Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports to enquire when they would get their prize money but the officials are giving no definite assurance on payment of cash prize, she rued.

**Mysuru Hockey team captain Chetan** said that he and his team members too are yet to get cash prizes as announced. Stating that his team is eagerly awaiting the cash prize, he said he came to know that the winners from other States too are yet to receive the prize money.

On behalf of all the enthusiastic participants, he urged the Sports Department authorities to immediately release the cash prize.

**The District Administration should wake up at least now and take measures to ensure that the Dasara athletes get their reward at the earliest and set a good precedent.**

When *SOM* tried to contact the Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports Assistant Director K. Suresh this morning he was not available for his reaction.

# Platinum Jubilee, Thanksgiving
## Eucharistic celebrations at CKC

Mysuru, Dec. 11- Christ the King Convent (CKC) Educational Institutions, Mysuru, celebrated its Platinum Jubilee this morning in city and Eucharistic celebration in remembrance of the departed members who served this institution.

Most Rev. Thomas Antony Vazhapilly, Bishop Emeritus of Mysuru Diocese, was the Chief celebrant.

Thanksgiving Eucharistic celebrations to be held tomorrow at 10.30 am which will be solemnised by Bishop of Mysuru Most Rev. Dr. K.A. William.

Cultural programmes will be held tomorrow at 4.30 pm.

Rev. Sr. Chris, Superior General, CSST, Bengaluru will be the chief guest.

# Kapila Aarti and Rathotsava in Nanjangud

Nanjangud, Dec. 11 (RS&SD)- On the lines of the famous Ganga Aarti in Kashi, Yuva Brigade volunteers had organised Kapila Aarti on the banks of River Kapila in the temple town yesterday evening. Thousands of devotees witnessed the religious event at Nanjangud, which is known as Kashi of South India.

A festive atmosphere prevailed on the banks of River Kapila where Laksha Deepotsava had been organised. The whole stretch, which measures around 800 meters on the bathing ghat had been decorated with thousands of diyas.

Later, the priests offered Kapila Aarti, the customary offering of lighted lamps to the river, and the devout began chanting hymns in praise of the river.

Chief priest of Nanjangud Srikanteshwaraswamy temple J. Nagachandra Deekshit, purohit Krishna Jois and team offered puja to the idol of Omkaramurthy specially installed for the occasion.

Avadhoota Datta Peetham Junior Pontiff Sri Datta Vijayananda Theertha Swamji, Hirehadagali Sri Hala Mahasamsthana Mutt Seer Abhinava Hala Swamiji, Ramakrishna Ashram's Swami Yukteshwaranandaji and Swami Sivakantanandaji flagged off the event with customary offering of lighted lamps to the river.

More than 150 men and women simultaneously lit the lamps arranged in series on the bank steps of the river and thousands of devotees floated lighted diyas in the river, followed by bursting of crackers near the temple premises.

Later, 108 women in traditional attire carrying Purnakumbha circumambulated the temple amidst playing of 'Nadaswaram' and chanting of mantras. They performed ashtateertha abhisheka to the idol of Shivalingam followed by distribution of prasadam to devotees.

Yuva Brigade Founder Chakravarti Sulibele, S. Chandrashekhar and others were present on the occasion.

**Chikka Jatra Rathotsava**

Today morning, thousands of devotees from across the State took part in the Chikka Jatra Rathotsava (car festival) at the temple. Three rathas (Ganapathi-Chandikeshwara, Parvathi and Srikanteshwara) were taken around in a grand procession on all the main streets of the temple town. Devotees vied with each other to draw the chariots. The rituals were performed by a team of temple priests.

Temple Executive Officer M.H. Raveendra, President of the Temple Board Shivananju, members Puttalingashetty, M. Sridhar, Manjula Madhu, Girish, Shashirekha, CMC member Kapilesh, leaders Sanjay Sharma, Krishna Jois and others were present.

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# Newly-elected disqualified MLAs meet CM, seek fulfilment of promises

Bengaluru, Dec.11 (KMS&DM)- Stepping up their ante, all the seventeen disqualified legislators, including 11 newly-elected MLAs who were elected on a BJP ticket in the bypolls and as well as the two defeated candidates, met Chief Minister B.S.Yediyurappa at his Dollar's Colony residence here this morning for the second day today. Most of the newly-elected disqualified MLAs had met the CM yesterday too.

The disqualified Legislators led by Gokak MLA Ramesh Jarkiholi had a one-to-one meeting with Yediyurappa, during which they urged the CM to include all of them in the State Cabinet as promised by the BJP before they quit their Assembly seats. They are also said to have sought plum portfolios like Power, Water Resources, Urban Development, Transport, PWD and Medical Education, besides urging for the withdrawal of election petitions filed by the defeated BJP candidates in Maski and Rajarajeshwarinagar, according to sources.

Giving a patient hearing to them, CM Yediyurappa said that he was wholly committed to keep the promises made to them. But some of the promises are to be discussed with the National BJP leadership, he said while asking them to contact the BJP top brass at New Delhi, for which he would facilitate an appointment soon.

Maintaining that he had planned to expand his Cabinet on Thursday (Dec.12), the CM said that he was now doubtful if the expansion would take place tomorrow as the Party High Command is yet to give its nod.

However, he will go ahead with the expansion if he gets the green signal from Delhi this evening, he said and asked them not to feel frustrated, as plans were being worked out to accommodate all of them suitably, it is learnt.

# Karnataka Congress In-charge K.C. Venugopal steps down?

Bengaluru, Dec.11(KMS&DM)- With the Congress faring poorly in the by-polls, winning just 2 of the 15 seats, the spate of resignations of Congress leaders owning moral responsibility, has continued with AICC In-charge of Karnataka K.C.Venugopal being the latest leader to offer resignation.

He is said to have tendered his resignation to acting AICC President Sonia Gandhi, according to sources.

On Monday, hours after the bypoll results were out, CLP and Opposition leader Siddharamaiah and KPCC President Dinesh Gundurao had quit their posts. However, the Congress High Command is yet to accept their resignations.

**REMEMBRANCE**

**Dr. M.V. GOVINDAPPA**
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Remembering Dr. M.V. Govindappa on his 12th Death Anniversary today
*A great doctor to his patients, a mentor to his innumerable students, a kind & compassionate friend of the staff & doctors.*
**WE CHERISH HIS MEMORY.**
—Dr. C.B. Murthy, staff and doctors of B.M. Hospital, Mysore

# Saxophone Concert at Suttur Mutt in city by Vid. Harish Pandav

Mysuru, Dec.11- Vid. Harish Pandav will present a saxophone concert at Suttur Mutt at the foot of Chamundi Hill in city tomorrow (Dec.12) at 6 pm as part of the Mutt's Moonlight Music-219.

He will be accompanied by Vid. C.N. Tyagarajan on violin and Vid. Anur Vinod Shyam on mridanga. Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji will grace the occasion.

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**Vid. Harish Pandav:** An extremely talented and versatile Saxophone artiste from Mysuru, Harish Pandav has performed in numerous concerts including the Youth Music Festival at Gayana Samaja (Bangalore), JSS Sangeetha Sabha (Mysore), Yuva Sourabha (Bangalore) and Vid. Nethi Sriramalu Sharma Sangeetha Sabha (Hyderabad).

A graded artiste in All India Radio, Mysuru, he is into music direction for movies also. He has received several honours throughout his music journey — 'Sri Sushameendra Kala Puraskara' from Sri Sushameendra Seva Prathishtana, 'Samskrutika Prathibe' from D. Banumaiah's Arts & Commerce College and 'Kalasourabha' from Mysore Dasara Exhibition Committee.

Son of Thavil Vidwan Thopaiah, Harish Pandav learnt music from Vid. N. Jayaram, Vid. H.A. Ningaraj Pandav and Naadaswara Vid. K.N. Krishnamurthy of Kodiyala, Karnataka.

Today, he continues to practice Karnatak classical vocal and saxophone under the guidance of Vidu. Gayathri Satyanarayana of Mysuru. Harish Pandav has earned a Master's Degree in Music from Karnataka State Dr. Gangubai Hangal Music and Performing Arts University, Mysuru.

**Vid. C. N. Tyagarajan:** He has been serving as a violin teacher at Singapore Indian Fine Arts Society School. A recipient of Union Government Student Scholarship, Vid. Tyagarajan belongs to the tradition of Mysore T. Chowdiah.

**Vid. Anur Vinod Shyam:** He is the son and disciple of Vid. Anur Ananta Krishna Sharma. He plays mridanga among many other instruments. For the past 15 years, he has accompanied many music stalwarts. He is the recipient of Ananya Naada Jyoti Kala Puraskar and Swara Sunaada Trust Award besides being the winner of All India Akashavani Contest. A member of 'Laya Lavanya' troupe, he has performed at Singapore, Abu Dabi and Germany.

# Awards presented to achievers

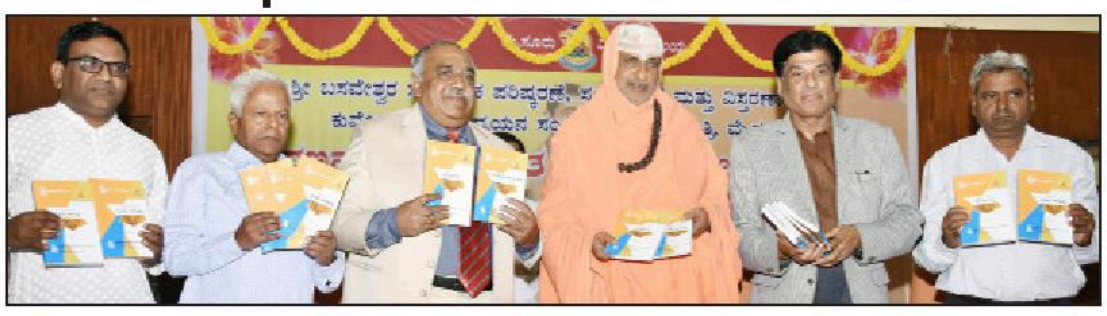
Mysuru, Dec.11 (RKB&US)- Mysore Literary and Cultural Foundation had organised a programme at Rotary Hall on JLB Road here recently as part of Kannada Rajyotsava and Children's Day to present awards to achievers including several children.

'Balashri' award was presented to Dhyuti (Memory), R. Nadashri Bhat (Singing), Manish Patel (Kick Boxing), M. Shivani (Western Dance), C. Skanda, R.T. Aditya (Drawing and Sports), Dhatri Umesh (Chess), K.P. Priyadarshan (Yoga) and Shreshta S. Juptimath (Theatre and literature). The other award winners were S. Jilian (Yuvashri Award), S. Karthik and K.N. Asrarullah Khan (Sadhanashri Award), K.N. Tanuja and K.V. Vasu (Sahitya Sindhu Award) and Prof. S.A. Mohan Krishna (Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam Achievement Award).

A children's 'Kavi Goshti' was also held on the occasion.

Inaugurating the programme, yoga exponent H. Kushi opined that parents should not force their children to score only marks but also encourage them in extra-curricular activities. Writer Jeenahalli Siddalingappa, Foundation President M.B. Santhosh, General Secretary M.N. Jayanti and others were present.

# Concern over shortage of scholars at Kuvempu Institute of Kannada Studies



Mysuru, Dec. 11 (RKB&SD)- Former University of Mysore (UoM) Vice-Chancellor Prof. K.S. Rangappa has expressed concern that Kuvempu Institute of Kannada Studies (KIKS) might close down in the coming years due to inadequate number of scholars.

He was speaking at a seminar on six literary works based on the life of 12th-century poet and philosopher Basavanna organised by KIKS in association with Sri Basaveshwara Centre for Social Change, Research and Extension of UoM and releasing three books published by Hastaprathimale at B.M. Sri auditorium of KIKS on Monday. VC Prof. G. Hemantha Kumar presided. Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji, KIKS Director Prof. N.M. Talwar, Visiting Professor of Basaveshwara Centre Prof. Chandrashekaraiah, Prof. Honganuru Nanjaiah, Prof. P.K. Rajashekar and others were present.

# Pianist "Bill" Mohan to perform at Lalitha Mahal tomorrow

Mysuru, Dec. 11 (KS) - Renowned pianist and singer Ashish 'Bill' Mohan will be performing on Dec. 12 from 7 pm at Lalitha Mahal Palace Hotel in city.

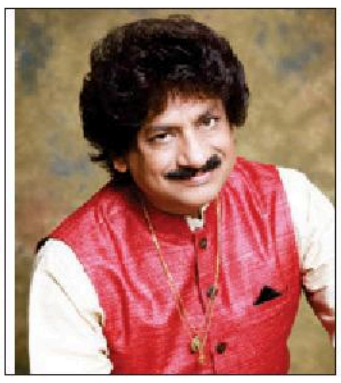
Mohan, who completed his B.S. Studies in Computer Science, Mathematics and English (creative writing) and MBA International and Cross-Cultural Business Emphasis at Missouri State University, USA, is at present a self-employed professional musician giving concerts in Bengaluru and Mysuru.

Bill is a solo performer, who can entertain the audience, by playing two or three parts (or voices) on the acoustic piano, while also singing. He plays Western music of different parts of the world, from different musical traditions. Bill sings in English, German, Portuguese and a few European languages and will perform an eclectic mix of music on acoustic piano — classic rock, pop, jazz and classical.

**There is no entry fee, but a cover charge to enter the hotel may apply. For details, call Mob: 95674-61772.**

# Hindustani flute at RK Ashram

*Ravi Shankar Mishra*



*Gowrisankar*

Raag Milan is organising a Hindustani Flute recital by **Ravi Shankar Mishra** and a Tabla solo by **Gowrisankar** (Kolkata) at Sri Ramakrishna Ashram, Yadavagiri (KRS Road) on Dec. 14 (Saturday) at 5.30 pm.

'Sur Mani Ravi Shankar Mishra' is one of the finest flautists of the young generation. Born in 1970 at Kolkata, he started his music lessons under his father Pandit Dinesh Chandra Mishra. In 1994 he was accepted as a disciple by flute maestro Pandit Nityanand Haldipur of Mumbai. He has also received guidance from Padmabushan late Ustad Abdul Halim Jaffer Khan whom he reveres as his mentor and guide.

Ravi has performed at the UNESCO (Paris) for an audience exceeding 10,000. He has played at the Halim Academy of Sitar, Mumbai, Haridas Sangeeth Sammelan and Sangeeth Pratistan. He is a regular performer for yoga students across the globe. Ravi has collaborated with many jazz musicians from USA and with leading musicians of the country. Till date he has recorded 10 albums.

The second half of the evening will be a Tabla solo by Gowrisankar, a leading tabla maestro of the present generation. Born in 1964, Gowrisankar began studying tabla at a young age of 3 under the guidance of his father Pandit Shiv Shankar Karmakar, a noted disciple of the tabla Maestro late Ustad Karamatulla Khan.

Since 1979, he has been under the tutelage of the tabla Maestro Pandit Sankha Chatterjee. Gowrisankar is an A grade artiste of All India Radio and television. In 2008 he established the 'School of Indian Percussion and Music' in Austin, Texas. He has accompanied eminent artistes such as Pandit Hariprasad Chaurasia, Pandit Birju Maharaj, Pandit Jasraj, Rahul Sharma, Rakesh Chaurasia, Indarjit Banerjee. Gourisankar has also collaborated with various world famous musicians and legendary Karnatak musicians.

Harmonium lehra will be provided by Satish Kolli (Bengaluru). For details, call: 94481-50433.

# Hindustan IT&S wins South Zone Cricket title

## Mysore University retains runners-up position

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***The cricket team of Hindustan IT&S, Chennai, which emerged winners in the final of the South Zone Inter-University Men's Cricket Tournament 2019-20 played at SDNR Wadiyar Grounds in city yesterday, is seen receiving the trophy from Prof. G. Hemantha Kumar, Vice-Chancellor, University of Mysore (UoM) during the valedictory ceremony yesterday. Others seen are Association of Indian Universities (AIU) Observer Madhavan, UoM's Department of Physical Education (DPE) Director (in-charge) Dr. P. Krishnaiah and Karnataka State Cricket Association (KSCA) Mysuru Zone Chairman Harikrishna Kumar. Picture right shows UoM's cricket team receiving the runners-up trophy.***

Mysuru, Dec.11- Inspiring batting by middle-order batsman Adhithya Raghuraman (69, 98b, 3x4, 1x6) and skipper R. Kavin (50, 43b, 3x4, 2x6), ably assisted by some good bowling by medium-pacer N.S. Harish (three for 42), helped Hindustan Institute of Technology and Science (IT&S), Chennai, to register a 29-run win over hosts and last year's runner-up, University of Mysore (UoM), in the final of the South Zone Inter-University Men's Cricket Tournament 2019-20, conducted by UoM at SDNR Wadiyar Grounds here yesterday.

Put into bat by UoM, Hindustan IT&S, with useful contributions from Adhithya Raghuraman (69), R. Kavin (50), opener S. Siddarth (38) and Sudan (26), scored 232 for seven in 45 overs.

Leg-spinner Nandan Narayan bowled well for UoM by taking three for 39.

In reply, UoM scored 203 in 41.2 overs and fell short of the target by 29-runs.

Vishnu Priyan (41, 46b, 5x4, 1x6), B. Dheemanth (35, 28b, 6x4, 1x6), Nandan Narayan (32, 41b, 3x4), V. Uttam Gowda (25, 39b, 2x4) and K. Shashank (23, 28b, 2x4) were the scorers.

Medium-pacer N.S. Harish impressed with figures of three for 42. L. Kishan Akash, Samruddh Bhat and P. Ajith Kumar took two wickets each.

**THIRD PLACE**

In the match for the third place, JNTU, Hyderabad, registered a 13-run win over defending champion Jain University, Bengaluru, in the match played at JSS-SJCE Grounds.

The winner Hindustan IT&S, Chennai and runner-up UoM qualified for the All-India Inter-University Cricket Tournament for Men from South Zone.

The prizes were distributed by Prof. G. Hemantha Kumar, Vice-Chancellor, UoM.

Also present were Association of Indian Universities (AIU) Observer Madhavan, UoM's Department of Physical Education (DPE) Director (in-charge) Dr. P. Krishnaiah and Karnataka State Cricket Association (KSCA) Mysuru Zone Chairman Harikrishna Kumar.

**SCORES**

**Final — Hindustan IT&S, Chennai:** 232/7 in 45 Overs (Adhithya Raghuraman 69, R. Kavin 50, S. Siddarth 38, S. Sudhan 26, Nandan Narayan 3/39) bt **UoM:** 203 in 41.2 overs (Vishnu Priyan 41, B. Dheemanth 35, Nandan Narayan 32, V. Uttam Gowda 25, K.Shashank 23, N.S. Harish 3/42, L. Kishan Akash 2/45, Samruddh Bhat 2/28, P. Ajith Kumar 2/25).

**Third place match — JNTU, Hyderabad:** 279 in 43.5 overs (Prateek Pawar 113, P. Sai Vikas Reddy 52, N. Sandeep 31, Aditya Goyal 3/49, Aditya Somanna 3/26, Aevant Kothari 2/39) bt **Jain University, Bengaluru:** 266/7 in 45 overs (Sparsh Hegde 91, Arjun Arora 82, Kishore Kamath 29 n.o., B. Akhilesh Reddy 2/.36).

# Mysore Varsity kabaddi team

***The men's Kabaddi team of University of Mysore (UoM) which will be taking part in the South Zone Inter-University Kabaddi Men's Tournament to be held at Mangalore University, Udupi, from Dec.11 to 14. Seen are*** *(standing from left)* ***H.C. Punith, S. Susheel, B.R. Rakesh, P. Sanjay, S. Yogesh, Adarsha, Shashank, Dayananda, Rajath Kumar, B. Sudharshan and P. Hemanth;*** *(sitting from left)* ***Captain S.C. Sachin, Coach R. Ramesha, UoM's Department of Physical Education (DPE) Director (in-Charge) Dr. P. Krishnaiah and Manager S. Nandish.***

# MDCA U-18 Open Chess Tourney on Dec.15

Mysuru, Dec.11- The Mysore District Chess Association (MDCA), Mysuru, will be conducting a Open U-18 Chess Tournament at the University Lions Hall, next to Oval Grounds here on Dec.15. Entry fee is Rs.350.

Trophies will be given for top three boys and girls in U-7, U-9, U-12, U-15 & U-18.

Players are requested to bring their own chess sets. **Last date for entry is Dec.14.**

For details, contact Ravindra Joshi on Mob: 86181-01368.

South Zone Inter-University Women's Volleyball

# UoM enters semis

Chennai, Dec.11- The women's volleyball team of University of Mysore (UoM), taking part in the South Zone Inter-University Women's Volleyball Tournament 2019-20 being held at SRM University, Chennai, beat University of Calicut 25-17, 17-25, 25-13, 24-26, 16-14 in the quarter-finals and entered the semi-final league of the Tournament on Monday.

With this win, Mysore University is qualified for the All India University Women's Volleyball Championships to be held at Kurukshetra from Dec.16 to 20.

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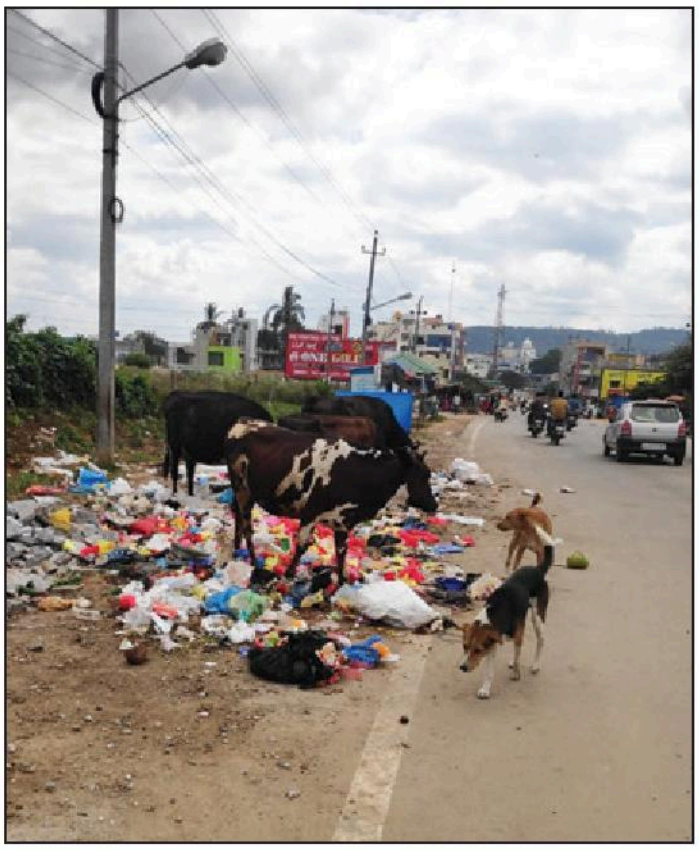
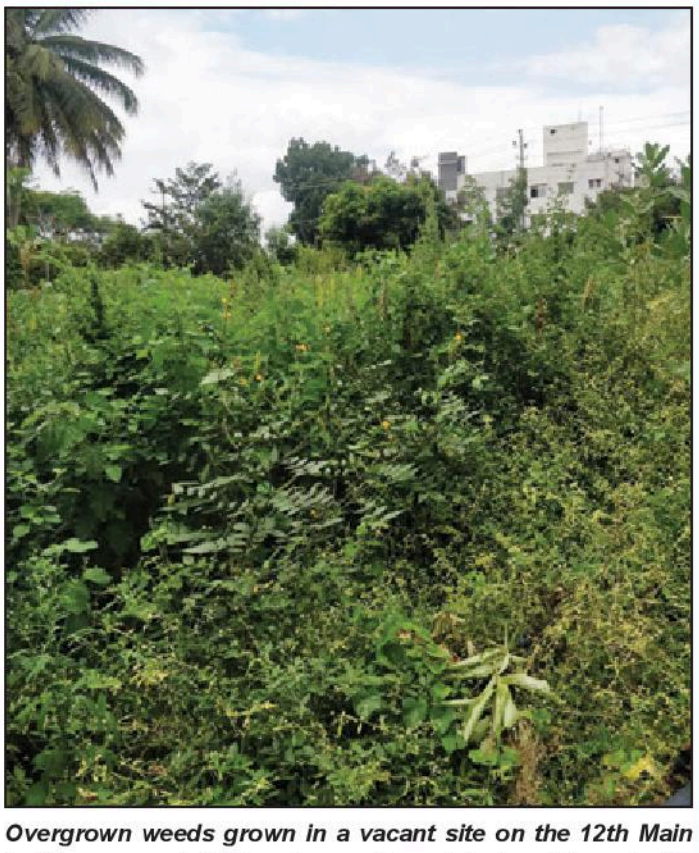
## Plea to install garbage bin on Dr. Rajkumar Road



*In the absence of a garbage bin on Dr. Rajkumar Road in Yeraganahalli junction, garbage is being dumped on the roadside causing a lot of inconvenience to the public. As numerous vegetables and greens shops are conducting business on the roadside during day and roadside eateries during evenings, a lot of rotten vegetables and used paper plates are dumped on the roadside which is attracting a lot of cattle resulting in them hampering the smooth movement of traffic. Authorities concerned are urged to install a garbage bin on the roadside and also take steps to get it cleared regularly.*

## Overgrown weeds - a problem in Vijayanagar 1st Stage



*Overgrown weeds grown in a vacant site on the 12th Main in Vijayanagar 1st Stage is causing a lot of problems to the residents living in the surroundings. Residents say that they encounter snakes and other reptiles daily which has caused a sense of fear among them besides stating that there is an increase in mosquitoes lately, resulting in many suffering bites and falling sick. Authorities concerned are urged to get the weeds cleared at the earliest.*

# Taking oath for 'Tobacco-free Youth'

Mysuru, Dec.11 (RK&US)- The National Service Scheme (NSS) wing of University of Mysore (UoM) and Sambandh Health Foundation (SHF), Gurgaon, had organised a workshop on 'Tobacco-free Youth' at Rani Bahadur auditorium in Manasagangothri here yesterday.

Inaugurating the programme, UoM Vice-Chancellor Prof. G. Hemantha Kumar opined that the youth should be aware of the ills of tobacco consumption.

He observed that children watch elders smoking and try to emulate when they grow up. Hence, he advised parents to shun smoking to set an example for their children. He said that tobacco can lead to many diseases which may set in late.

SHF Co-ordinators Gayathri Reddy, Somil Rustogi, UoM NSS Officer Dr. Chandrashekar, Dr. Mekhala Shwetadri of Narayana Hrudayalaya and others were present. On the occasion, Prof. Hemantha Kumar administered an oath to the youth to keep away from tobacco.

# Students depict harmful effects of liquor through drawings

Mysuru, Dec.11 (MTY&US)- Dasara Exhibition Fine Arts Committee had organised a drawing contest for students from LKG to PUC at the Dasara Exhibition Grounds here on Sunday. About 120 students participated in the contest.

For students from LKG to 7th standard, the topic of drawing was left to the student's choice but it was 'leave liquor, save life' for students of 8th standard and above.

Students from LKG to 7th standard drew good sketches on environment protection, wildlife, biodiversity, landscapes and birds.

Those from 8th to 10th standard pictorially depicted the dangers of drunken driving, liquor spoiling family and many more.

PU students also depicted ways for girls to protect themselves from attacks referring to the recent attack and murder of a woman in Hyderabad.

The contest was divided under five categories. The first three winners in each category would be presented prizes. Certificates will be issued to all participants.

Committee member and artiste Shivakumar monitored the contest.

# Cancellation, diversion & regulation of trains

Mysuru, Dec.11- South Western Railway (SWR) will be carrying out critical engineering and signalling work (Non-Interlocking Work) from 10.12.2019 to 13.12.2019 in Banasandra Railway Station yard for doubling of track on Arasikere-Tumakuru section of Mysuru Division over SWR.

The following trains are cancelled/ diverted/ regulated on the dates mentioned against each:

**Cancellation:** Train No.56917/ 56918 KSR Bengaluru-Shivamogga Town-KSR Bengaluru passenger journeys commencing on 10.12.2019 and 13.12.2019 are cancelled.

**Diversion:** Train No.17326/ 17325 Ashokapuram-Belagavi-Ashokapuram Vishwamanava Express journey commencing on 10.12.2019 will be diverted to run via Hassan Arasikere in open timings skipping Stations between Mysuru-KSR Bengaluru and KSR Bengaluru- Arasikere section.

**Regulation:** Train No. 12725 KSR Bengaluru to Dharwad Inter-City Express journey commencing on 10.12.2019 and 11.12.2019 will be regulated en-route Stations for 45 minutes.

Train No.07309 Yesvantpur to Vasco Da Gama Express journey commencing on 13.12.2019 will be regulated en-route Stations for 30 minutes, according to a press release from Satish, Sr. Divisional Operations Manager and Sr. PRO.

# Tax dues: MCC officials lock hotels, shops

Mysuru, Dec.11 (RK&KS)- Officials of Mysuru City Corporation (MCC), which raided hotels, shops and other establishments for non-payment of taxes and for not obtaining Trade Licenses, have locked various hotels and other establishments behind the main MCC Office in Fort Mohalla here yesterday.

The officials raided True Spirits, Adduri Comforts, Nanda Hotel and Supriya Lodge yesterday morning and locked these commercial establishments, according to MCC Zone-1 Revenue Inspector Manjunath.

The establishments had not paid their tax dues totalling more than Rs.1 lakh and had also not renewed their Trade Licenses but were conducting business.

The owners of these commercial establishments have been issued notices to pay the taxes within three days, said Manjunath.

The raid was conducted on instructions from MCC Commissioner Gurudatta Hegde in which Revenue staff Suresh Kumar, Putturaj, Pratap and others took part.

# Mayoral poll schedule to be announced soon

Mysuru, Dec.11 (RKB&DM)- With the by-polls to 15 Assembly segments in the State over, the Government is likely to announce the Mayoral poll schedule in a couple of days.

The term of the current Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath ended on Nov.16 and the city should have got a new Mayor on Nov.17.

But the delay in the announcement of the poll schedule along with the reservation matrix, which is attributed to the by-polls, enabled Pushpalatha Jagannath to continue till the Mayoral polls are held.

There are 22 BJP members,19 Congress members,18 JD(S) members, 1 BSP member and 5 Independent members in the 65-member MCC.

After the Corporation polls held last year, Congress and JD(S) entered into an agreement and came to power in the MCC, with Pushpalatha Jagannath of Congress becoming the Mayor in November, 2018.

# Thief arrested

## Eight laptops, 29 mobile phones recovered

Mysuru, Dec.11 (KS)- The City Crime Branch (CCB) Police, who have arrested Rangaswamy on charges of stealing laptops and mobile phones, have recovered eight laptops and 29 mobile phones of various companies from him.

The recovered laptops are one Sony, two Lenovo, three hp, one DELL and one ASUS laptop.

The 29 recovered mobile phones are six Samsung, five Motorola, two Lenovo, two Mi, two OnePlus, one VIVO, two Honor, one Poco, one Sony, one Panasonic, one Intex, one ASUS, one Nokia and three iPhones.

The Police have asked the owners of the above mobile phones to produce relevant documents and take back their laptops and mobile phones by visiting the CCB unit on Ashoka Road, according to a press release from the PRO, City Police Commissioner's Office, Mysuru.

# Woman killed as bus rams into bike

Mysuru, Dec. 11 (RK&KS)- A woman, who was riding pillion on a bike, died of injuries at a private hospital after a KSRTC bus hit the bike she was riding pillion on Hunsur Road near Hinkal on Monday.

The deceased is Parvathamma (48), wife of D.P. Devegowda, a resident of Chinakurali in Pandavapura taluk.

She had come along with her husband to her daughter's house in Hootagalli and the couple were proceeding on Hunsur Road on their bike (KA-11 EB-2920) on Monday morning to go back to their place, when a speeding KSRTC Bus (KA-31 F-1556) rammed into the bike from behind near Hotel Roost resulting in Parvathamma suffering serious injuries.

Though she was rushed to a private hospital at Vontikoppal, she succumbed to injuries at the hospital at about 12.15 pm, according to V.V. Puram Traffic Police who have registered a case in this regard.

The Police have seized the KSRTC bus and have taken the driver into custody.

# Girl suffers fracture as bike hits scooter

Mysuru, Dec.11 (RK&KS)- A girl suffered a fracture of her shoulder bone when a bike rammed into the scooter she was riding at Hootagalli Signal Junction on Dec.7.

The injured girl is Pramila, daughter of Siddanayaka, a resident of Hootagalli in city. She was proceeding on her scooter at about 2.40 pm near Hootagalli Signal Junction, when a bike rammed into the scooter resulting in Pramila suffering a shoulder bone fracture and admitted to a private hospital. V.V. Puram Traffic Police, who have registered a case, are investigating.

# Elderly man goes missing

Mysuru, Dec.11 (KS)- A 73-year-old man, who left his house on Dec.6 at about 1.30 pm along with his bicycle, has since gone missing.

Narayan Iyengar

The missing person is K. Narayan Iyengar. He is 5.5 ft. tall, oily red complexioned and was wearing a white dhoti and cream coloured shirt at the time of going missing.

Those having any information about the missing person may contact Vidyaranyapuram Police Station on Ph: 0821-2418122 or Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418339.

# Obituary

**Farooq Shariff**

Mysuru, Dec.11- Farooq Shariff (58), a teacher at Yalachanahalli Government School and a resident of Mohammed Sait Block in city, passed away yesterday following brief illness.

He leaves behind his wife, two daughters and a host of relatives and friends. Last rites will be held at the Muslim Burial Grounds near Tipu Circle today.

**Sister Anne**

Sister Anne of St. Bartholomeo of Bogadi Carmel passed away yesterday in city. She was 89. Funeral will be held today at 3 pm at Cloistered Carmel in Bogadi here.

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ವಿಷಯ: 2019-20ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಒಂದು ವರ್ಷದ (12 ತಿಂಗಳು) ಅವಧಿಗೆ ಬೇಕಾದ ಆಸ್ಪತ್ರೆಯ ದೈನಂದಿನ ಬಳಕೆಯ ಸಾಮಗ್ರಿಗಳ ಸರಬರಾಜಿಗಾಗಿ ಮ್ಯಾನ್ಯುಯಲ್ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಕರೆಯುವ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ. 2019-20ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಒಂದು ವರ್ಷದ (12) ತಿಂಗಳು ಅವಧಿಗೆ ಬೇಕಾದ ಆಸ್ಪತ್ರೆಯ ದೈನಂದಿನ ಬಳಕೆಯ ಸಾಮಗ್ರಿಗಳನ್ನು ಖರೀದಿಸಲು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಸಂಗ್ರಹಣೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾರದರ್ಶಕರೆ ಅಧಿನಿಯಮ 1999 ನಿಯಮ 2000 ರನ್ವಯ ಮ್ಯಾನ್ಯುಯಲ್ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಕರೆಯಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಮ್ಯಾನ್ಯುಯಲ್ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಅರ್ಜಿಗಳನ್ನು ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸಲು ಕೊನೆಯ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 06.01.2020 ರಂದು ಸಂಜೆ 4.00 ಗಂಟೆ** ಆಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಆಸ್ಪತ್ರೆಯ ದೈನಂದಿನ ಬಳಕೆಯ ಸಾಮಗ್ರಿಗಳ ಖರೀದಿಸುವ ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೌಲ್ಯ ರೂ.4.00 ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಇ.ಎಂ.ಡಿ ರೂ.10,000/- ಗಳನ್ನು ನಿಗದಿಪಡಿಸಿದೆ. ಮ್ಯಾನ್ಯುಯಲ್ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ತೆರೆಯುವ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 07.01.2020** ಗಳಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಕಛೇರಿ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಉಪವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ಅಧೀಕ್ಷಕರು, ಸರ್ಕಾರಿ ಹೈಟೆಕ್ ಪಂಚಕರ್ಮ ಆಸ್ಪತ್ರೆ, ಮೈಸೂರು, ಇವರನ್ನು ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ.

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## WORD OF THE DAY

### Postprandial

**Pronunciation:** pohst-pran-dee-uhl.

**Meaning:** After a meal, especially after dinner: postprandial oratory; a postprandial brandy.

**Origin:** The Latin noun prandium means "midday meal, lunch, luncheon"; the verb prandēre "to have breakfast or lunch" is a derivative of prandium. There is no Latin adjective prandiālis "pertaining to breakfast or lunch," let alone the adjectives preprandiālis (praeprandiālis) or postprandiālis. There is, however, the Late Latin noun prandiculum "breakfast," which is found only in lexicographical writings – a salutary warning! Postprandial is used in medicine in its literal meaning "done or happening after a meal." Apart from medical usage postprandial is a jocular word, as in this example from George Bernard Shaw, "The whole thing was mere postprandial brag, war-game and club-fender gossip" (1917). Postprandial entered English in the first half of the 19th century.

**Example:** Most people seem to switch on the game a few minutes after having wolfed down their fifth slice of pie, but if you do that, there's the cognitive dissonance of watching professional athletes and cheerleaders vigorously moving their bodies while your own body lies on the couch in a state of postprandial lethargy and bloat.— Jeff Gordinier.

## THE ODD WORD

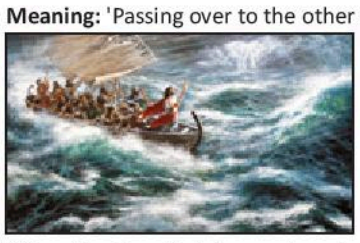
**Padrone**

Innkeeper; employer.

## PHRASE OF THE DAY

### Pass over to the other side

**Meaning:** 'Passing over to the other side' is a euphemism for dying.



**Origin:** 'Passing over to the other side', or simply 'passing over' is a euphemism that has its roots in the Bible and the Christian belief in a heavenly afterlife. This is well illustrated in an early, perhaps the earliest, use of the phrase in print, in John Bunyan Pilgrim's Progress, 1684:

When the Day that he must go hence, was come, many accompanied him to the River side, into which, as he went, he said, Death, where is thy Sting... So he passed over, and the Trumpets sounded for him on the other side. It isn't surprising that Bunyan used, or possibly coined, the phrase 'passing over'. He was of course a devout Christian and would have been a believer in a literal heaven. Also, the theme of Pilgrim's Progress, which is fully titled 'The Pilgrim's Progress from This World to That Which Is to Come', portrays the progress of the devout as a journey ending in the crossing of a river heading towards Heaven.

## QUOTE BOX

Just like a boxer can't win without a few punches on his face, a student can't be fully trained without ups and downs. **— Pawan Mishra**

## RIDDLE THIS

As a stone inside a tree, I'll help your words outlive thee. But if you push me as I stand, the more I move the less I am. What am I?

*Answer :A pencil.*

## SUDOKU

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| | | | | | 4 | 3 | 9 | 5 |
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| 9 | | 1 | | 8 | | | 2 | |
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| | | | | | 2 | 9 | 8 | |
| 6 | 9 | 5 | 7 | | | | | |

Answer to previous puzzle

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

## CROSS WORD

**ACROSS:**

1 A heavy metal
5 Stomach muscles
8 Famous Spanish river - "bore" anagram ?
12 Famous university in California, in short
13 Debussy heroine
14 State and foul smelling - "idol" anagram?
15 Self-will
17 Hacienda room - "alas" anagram?
18 Remaining after all deductions
19 Sections or portions that have been cut out
21 Having wings - "atlea" anagram?
24 American animal
25 Poor in quality ?
26 A circle abbreviated as "about" in Latin?
27 ____ adieu : say farewell?
30 Policeman
31 The head of a Bedouin family
32 Old time classic movie Alam___
33 Tarzan's friend?
34 Canvas living accommodation at camp
35 More than one North American deer
36 Betel palm
38 Former Windies paceman Courtney ___
39 Grew less or diminished
41 Air Transp. Radio
42 English batsman ___ Morgan
43 Balancing, comparing or relating
48 ____ off : ended telephonic conversation?
49 Drama by Karel Capek, which introduced robots
50 They need combing!
51 Have the ___ on: have an advantage over?
52 Arabian or Red or Black
53 Poker stake

**DOWN**

1 Twin brother of Kush
2 Prefix - as in ___logy or ___nomy?
3 Entirely or completely
4 Charming, delicate
5 Settled, came back to earth?
6 Prefix or combining form meaning of living things
7 Ancient language of India
8 A red dye - "noise" anagram?
9 Reject or boycott
10 Get one's goat
11 Harem rooms
16 Snead need?
20 Chance or fortune
21 Reliquary
22 Doubling of a cord
23 Coming into sight or emerging
24 Saint Catherine's birthplace
26 Draughts
28 Annoys, disgusts or bores
29 Longer signal of the two in Morse Code?
31 British gun
35 "A heart" anagram for a girl's name?
37 Cooking device
38 International racqueteer gp.?
39 Withered like a leaf
40 Lew ___ : famous tennis star of days gone by?
41 Distinctive air
44 __ Sera, Sera.... whatever will be will be...?
45 Bond creator Fleming
46 Louse or other parasite, its eggs
47 Grad. Rec. Exam.

**YESTERDAY'S ANSWER**

| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| R | O | Y | A | L | I | S | T | | I | S | N | T |
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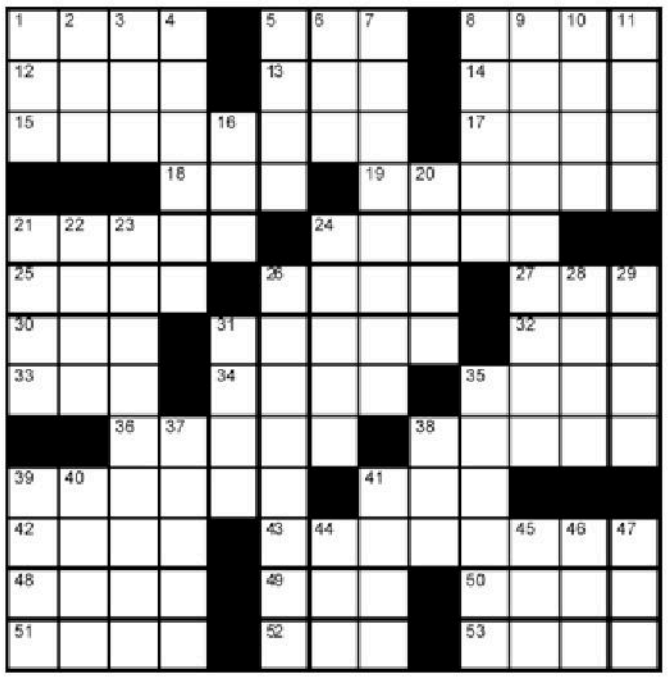

## CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

**RA RZ WQSB ZASHCVQ ANHA ANQ BQHSZ AQHLN FZ**

**GHARQCLQ - ANHA ANQ ZNESAQS EFS ARKQ, ANQ**

**VSQHAQS EFS LHGHLRAB MES THRARCV**

**TODAY'S CLUE: V EQUALS G**

**Yesterday's Cryptoquip:** Thinking you won't die is yet another side effect of dying.

## NOW SHOWING

| Movie | Theatre | Phone | Shows |
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| **KANNADA** | | | |
| *Kiss* | Sangam | 2520494 | 2 Shows |
| *Kalidasa Kannada Meshtru* | Sangam | 2520494 | 2 Shows |
| *Katha Sangama* | Saraswathi | 2541451 | 4 Shows |
| *Damayanthi* | Lakshmi | 2443584 | 2 Shows |
| *Mane Maratakkide* | Mahadeshwara | 9986022634 | 4 Shows |
| | Lido | 2420885 | 2 Shows |
| *Alidu Ulidavaru* | Lido | 2420885 | 2 Shows |
| *i1* | Skyline | 2481170 | 4 Shows |
| | Prabha | 2423569 | 4 Shows |
| *Bramhachari* | Gayathri | 2443568 | 4 Shows |
| *Ayushmanbhava* | Woodlands | 2422871 | 4 Shows |
| *Bharaate* | Shanthala | 2427584 | 4 Shows |
| *19 Age is Nonsense* | Padma | 2521923 | M. Show |
| **HINDI** | | | |
| *Panipat* | Balaji Deluxe | 2497199 | 4 Shows |
| | Sri Nagaraj | 2520490 | 4 Shows |
| | Rajkamal | 2423554 | 4 Shows |
| **TAMIL** | | | |
| *Iruttu* | Sterling | 2481170 | 4 Shows |
| **TELUGU** | | | |
| *90 ML* | Lakshmi | 2443584 | 2 Shows |
| | Padma | 2521923 | 3 Shows |
| ---- | Uma | 2520009 | 4 Shows |
| ---- | Thibbadevi | 2452958 | 4 Shows |

### DRC CINEMAS — PH: 4240422, 4241800

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| *Panipat (H)* | (S-1) | 9.40 am |
| | (S-2) | 3.55 pm |
| | (S-4) | 6.40 pm, 9.55 pm |
| *Mundina Nildana (K)* | (S-1) | 1.00 pm |
| *Jada (Ta)* | (S-1) | 3.10 pm |
| *Frozen (E-3D)* | (S-1) | 5.45 pm, 7.50 pm |
| *Knives Out (E)* | (S-1) | 9.55 pm |
| *Pati Patni Aur Woh (H)* | (S-2) | 10.40 am, 1.20 pm |
| | | 7.15 pm, 9.50 pm |
| | (S-4) | 4.00 pm |
| *Hagalu Kanusu (K)* | (S-3) | 10.50 am |
| *Kalidasa Kannada Meshtru (K)* | (S-3) | 1.35 pm |
| *Alidu Uludavaru (K)* | (S-3) | 4.20 pm |
| *Kathasangama (K)* | (S-3) | 6.55 pm, 9.55 pm |
| *Hotel Mumbai (H)* | (S-4) | 10.45 am |
| *Iruttu (Ta)* | (S-4) | 1.15 pm |

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|---|---|---|
| *Panipat (H)* | (S-1) | 10 am, 3.50 pm, 9.45 pm |
| | (S-3) | 6.00 pm |
| *Frozen II (E-3D)* | (S-1) | 1.30 pm, 7.25 pm |
| *Pati Patni Aur Woh (H)* | (S-3) | 10.00 am |
| | (S-2) | 1.30 pm, 4.15 pm |
| | | 7.05 pm, 9.55 pm |
| *Iruttu (Ta)* | (S-2) | 10.40 am |
| *Hagalu Kanusu (K)* | (S-3) | 12.45 pm |
| *Alidu Uludavaru (K)* | (S-3) | 3.25 pm |
| *90 ML (TBA) (Te)* | (S-3) | 9.40 pm |
| *Kathasangama (K)* | (S-4) | 10.20 am, 6.30 pm |
| *i1 (K)* | (S-4) | 1.30 pm |
| *Babru (K)* | (S-4) | 4.05 pm |
| *Irandam Ulagaporin Kadaisi Gundu (Ta)* | (S-4) | 9.45 pm |

### PVR CINEMAS — www.pvrcinemas.com

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| *Pati Patni Aur Woh (H)* | 9.30 am, 1.30 pm, 4.20 pm |
| | 7.10 pm, 10.00 pm |
| *Panipat (H)* | 9.55 am, 2.50 pm, 6.25 pm, 10 pm |
| *i1 (K)* | 10.35 am |
| *Frozen 2 (E)* | 10.55 am, 7.05 pm |
| *Babru (K)* | 12.20 pm |
| *Hagalu Kanasu (K)* | 1.15 pm |
| *19 Age is Nonsense (K)* | 1.20 pm |
| *Katha Sangama (K)* | 3.50 pm, 9.30 pm |
| *Irandam Ulagaporin Kadaisi Gundu (Ta)* | 4.00 pm |
| *Alidu Ulidavaru (K)* | 7.00 pm |
| *Iruttu (Ta)* | 9.40 pm |

**NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.**

# CIIL felicitates Kannada Scholars

Mysuru, Dec.11 (RK&US)- Central Institute of Indian Languages (CIIL) had organised a programme at its premises on Hunsur Road here yesterday as part of Kannada Rajyotsava. Kannada Scholars Prof. Hampa Nagarajaiah, S. Karthik and Dr. Kupnahalli M. Bhyrappa were felicitated on the occasion.

Speaking as the chief guest, UoM Vice-Chancellor Prof. G. Hemantha Kumar hailed the richness of Kannada language. Stating that about 7,000 Kannada books are released every year, he said Kannada should not be loved only by writers but by all in the State. Dr. D.G. Rao, CIIL Director, presided. P.R. Dharmesh Fernandez, Professor-cum-Deputy Director, CIIL, K.R. Durgadas, Programme Director and others were present.

## EVENTS TODAY (DEC. 11)

**Sahara Art and Crafts:** Handicraft and Handloom Exhibition-cum-Sale, Scouts and Guides Ground, behind DC's Office, **up to 9.30 pm.**

**Avadhoota Datta Peetham, Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashrama:** Dattatreya Jayanti, Rrudraksha Rathotsava of Dattatreya Swamy, **4 pm;** Abhangs Concert by **Pt. Rahul Deshpande**, accompanied on tabla by Pt. Ramdas Palsuale, pakhawaj by Pt. Prasad Joshi, harmonium by Pt. Milind Kulkarni, Ashrama premises, **7 pm.**

**SVEI Nursery and Primary School:** Vaishishtya - Annual Day celebrations, former VC of Gulbarga University Prof. S.R. Niranjan chief guest, Kalamandira, **4.30 pm.**

**Builders' Association of India (BAI), Mysore Centre:** Six-day MyBuild-2019, an exhibition of construction materials, interiors and lifestyles, Mayor Pushpalatha Jagannath inaugurates, Managing Trustee of Mysore Builders Charitable Trust (MBCT) S.R. Swamy guest of honour, BAI Mysore Centre Chairman B.S. Dinesh, MyBuild-2019 Chairman S. Vasudevan, MyBuild-2019 Hon. Secretary K. Satish Mohan and others will be present, Maharaja's College Grounds, **5 pm.**

**Sri Kote Anjaneyaswamy Temple, Palace North Gate:** Sri Hanuma Jayanti Mahotsava, Cultural Programme, Devaranama by Yashaswini Mahila Sangha, **5 pm;** Devotional Songs by *Sangeetha Vidyanidhi* Dr. Vidyabhushan and troupe, Temple premises, **6.45 pm.**

**Kodava Samaja, Mysuru:** Huthri celebrations, **5.30 pm onwards;** Traditional Kodava dances by the Samaja members and their children, 'Nere kattuva' ritual, **7.35 pm;** Reaping new paddy crop (Kadiru), **8.35 pm;** Distribution of thambutt prasada, Sree Cauvery College Grounds, Kuvempunagar, **9.35 pm.**

**Dharmaprakasha D. Banumaiah Educational Institutions, Mysuru:** Centenary Celebrations, former CM Siddharamaiah delivers the valedictory address, MLA Dr. Yatindra Siddharamaiah, MLC Marithibbegowda, former MLA Vasu, Deputy Mayor Shafi Ahmed and others will be present, Banumaiah School premises, **5.30 pm.**

**Sri Geethapracharini Sabha Trust, Mysuru (Geetha Mandira):** Sri Geetha Jayanti Mahotsava, Mass Vishnu Sahasranama Parayana, **6 pm;** Discourse by Swami Shivakantananda, 33rd Cross Road, Sri Geetha Mandira Road, **6.30 pm to 8 pm.**

**Ganabharathi:** Vidushi Veene Chokkam-

ma Memorial Veena Concert by **Vidwan Prof. R. Visweswaran**, accompanied by Vidwan Mysore A. Radhesh on mridanga and Vidwan Sharath Koushik on ghata, Ganabharathi premises, Kuvempunagar, **6 pm.**

**Sahamata Vedike, Mysuru:** Shivasanchara Natakotsava - 2019, staging of play 'Kadadida Neeru,' Sri Hosamutt premises, Khille Mohalla, **6.30 pm.**

**Kodagu Gowda Samaja, Mysuru:** Huthri celebrations, Kolata, singing by Rakshit Panattale of *Kannada Kogile* fame, **7 pm;** 'Nere kattuva' ritual, **7.30 pm;** Reaping new paddy crop (Kadiru) and Prasada Distribution, Samaja premises, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, **8.30 pm.**

## EVENTS TOMORROW (DEC. 12)

**Sri Geethapracharini Sabha Trust, Mysuru (Geetha Mandira):** Sri Geetha Jayanti Mahotsava, Mass Bhagavad Gita Parayana, **7.30 am;** Mahamangalarati and Prasada Viniyoga, **8.30 am;** Mass Vishnu Sahasranama Parayana, **6 pm;** Discourse by Swami Shantivratanandaji, **6.30 pm;** Mahamangalarati and Prasada Viniyoga, 33rd Cross Road, Sri Geetha Mandira Road, **8 pm to 8.30 pm.**

**Anokhi Garden:** ...the bewitching, lyrical world of Ram Singh Urveti - Gond Artist, Anokhi Garden, 408, Contour Road, near Adithya Hospital, Gokulam, 3rd Stage, **8 am to 5 pm.**

**Elder Citizens Council, Jayalakshmipuram:** 40th Annual General Body Meeting, **9.30 am;** Foundation Day celebrations, retd. MCC Commissioner and Global Innovative Educational Trust-Hebbal MD Dr. K.N. Chandrashekar inaugurates, Saraswathi Samudaya Bhavan, Hospital Road, Jayalakshmipuram, **11 am.**

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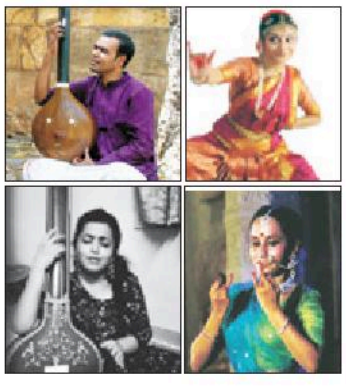
**University of Mysore (UoM), Hampi Kannada University, Sahitya Academy, New Delhi and National Institute of Prakrit Studies and Research:** Two-day International Prakrita Samavesh-2019, Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji inaugurates, Sri Charukeerthi Bhattaraka Swamiji graces the occasion, UoM Vice-Chancellor Prof. G. Hemantha Kumar presides, Hampi Kannada University VC Prof. S.C. Ramesh releases five books on the occasion, Senate Bhavan, Manasagangothri, **3 pm.**

**Sri Ramakrishna Ashrama:** Swami Jnanayoganandaji speaks on 'Sri Durga Saptashati,' Ashrama premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**

**Celebrating Life:** Indian classical compositions — **Vid. Manasa Nayana**, Karnatak classical vocalist from Mysuru and **Shubhada Mudhol,** Hindustani classical vocalist from Bengaluru, accompanied by **Vidu. Swati Biswas,** Bharatanatyam artiste from Bengaluru and **Vidu. Meghna Rao**, Kathak artiste from Pune, will attempt to address the concept with their renditions, Sharmila Ghosh introduces the concept and shares highlights of the programme, Ganabharathi, Kuvempunagar, **6 pm to 8.30 pm.**



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**Sri Suttur Mutt, Mysuru Branch:** Moonlight Music by Vid. Harish Pandav, accompanied by Vid. C.N. Tyagarajan on violin and Vid. Anur Vinod Shyam on mridanga, Suttur Mutt, foot of Chamundi Hill, **6 pm.**

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